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- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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Applicant: Yasuto Onitsuka
Serial No.: 10/697,581
Filed: October 30, 2003
Title: "BONDING METHOD"
Docket No.: 36242

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$130.00. Applicant filed the required Declaration and Power of Attorney along with filing the application (see enclosed copy of return receipt postcard No. 21396, marked as Exhibit "A"). The Notice to File Missing Parts was mailed to applicant on January 29, 2004, asking for the required Declaration and Power of Attorney and the \$130.00 late filing fee (see enclosed copy of the Notice, marked as Exhibit "B"). Applicant responded to the Notice, dated February 4, 2004 (see enclosed copy of the transmittal letter marked as Exhibit "C" and a copy of the return receipt postcard No. 22229, marked as Exhibit "D") On February 11, 2004, \$130.00 was withdrawn from applicant's deposit account for late filing fee of the Declaration and Power of Attorney (see enclosed copy of February 2004 deposit account, marked as Exhibit "E"). Applicant therefore requests a refund in the amount of \$130.00 for the late filing fee of the Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Please credit the refund to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 36242.

Respectfully submitted,
PEARNE & GORDON LLP

By _____

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Jeffrey J. Sopko
Name of Attorney for Applicant(s)

Signature of Attorney

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Enclosed Are:

- PATENT APPLICATION (NEW)
 New Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/105 form)
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 Application Data Sheet
 Declaration & Power Of Attorney 3 pgs.
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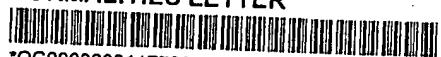


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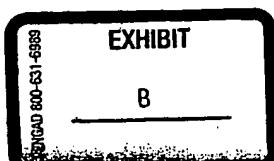
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LETTER

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO 1533) dated January 29, 2004 (copy enclosed), the required Declaration and Power of Attorney (copy enclosed) was filed with the application on October 30, 2003 (see a copy of the return receipt postcard No. 21396 and a copy of the Form PTO/SB/05).

Since the Declaration and Power of Attorney was filed with the application, the \$130.00 late filing fee should not be required.

Accordingly, all the missing parts of the application have been filed and no further action is required.

If there are any further fees resulting from this communication please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 36242.

Respectfully submitted,

PEARNE & GORDON LLP

By

Jeffrey J. Sopko, Reg. No. 27676

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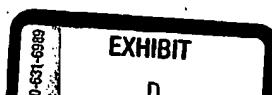
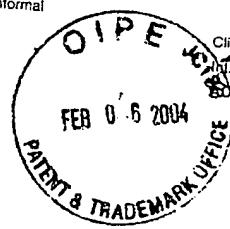
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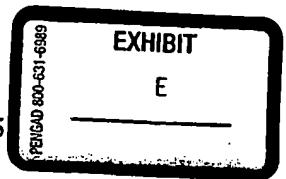
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